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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of 09/24/03, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 1 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 8 of this paper and include attached replacement sheets.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

An Appendix including amended drawing figures is attached following page 11 of this paper.

Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace paragraph [0008] with the following amended paragraph:

[0008] In accordance with the present invention, a method and apparatus are provided in which polygons in a selected area of a display is provided with the special effect of distortion as

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